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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



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| IN RE APPLICATION OF: Madhavan Pisharodi Serial No. 10/729,038 Filing Date: December 5, 2003 | ATTY DKT NO.: P-3643.03(CIP2) GROUP NO.: 3733 EXAMINER: Pedro Philogene |
| TITLE: FASTENER FOR SECURING TWO SEPARATE WORKPIECES | |
| TO: Mail Stop: RESPONSE/FEE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | |

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Amendment is filed in response to your Office Action dated May 16, 2007.

A request for a two-month time extension, to and including October 16, 2007, is made and the appropriate fee paid. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-2400 for any fee deficiency.

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